

Crop in Alberta Amazes

Winnipeg Grain Operator
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"In many years of travelling over the Prairie Province I have never seen a better crop than the one at present being cut in Alberta," said H. Gasser, western manager for James Richardson & Sons, the well known grain traders, who was in Alberta last week from Winnipeg.

Mr. Gasser said the crop was good all over the West, but in the Province it was a bumper. In spite of rumors of exaggeration and damage, private advice reaching his firm led him to believe that the recent optimistic estimate of the Government was nearer truth than many people imagined.

He believed that the farmers of the West were in a stronger position now than at any time, and his reason for expecting that the times ahead were to be prosperous was based on the financial position, the promise of the present grain crop and the likelihood of a good price being obtained.

Recent frosts and heavy rains had done little damage. Grains had, of course, been reduced in yield, but the staves, both on the whole the farmers were more fortunate, especially when the unfavorable conditions which the crop was sown were taken into consideration.

Number of Changes In Wheat Pool Staff

With the opening of an office by the Canadian Wheat Pool in London, England, an important change has been made in the re-arranging of staff officials, according to a report by A. J. McPhee, chairman of the central selling agency.

D. L. Smith, who has been general sales agent for the central selling agency since it was formed, will be in charge of the London office. George McEwen, western sales agent, will succeed Mr. Smith. Other changes are: O. Z. Buchanan, who has been in charge of the Vancouver office, will be in charge of the western sales manager, with headquarters in Calgary. Jim Gilson will succeed Mr. Buchanan. Donald McIntyre, assistant sales manager at the Winnipeg office, has been appointed eastern sales manager, while W. C. Follett, assistant sales manager, has been appointed co-ordinator sales manager respectively.

Premier Brownlee Postpones Provincial Tour

Premier Brownlee has postponed a proposed tour of the western portions of the Lacombe, Ponies, Watkins and Leduc constituencies to the end of September owing to the impossibility of holding public meetings during the epidemic of infantile paralysis.

P. C. Brownlee, M.L.A. for Leduc, is announcing this postponement, saying it is hoped that the tour may be carried out in October.

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CRAIGMYLE NEWS

Sudden Death of Frederick H. Lavers

We regret to report the death of Frederick Husband Lavers, of this district, which occurred suddenly at his residence shortly after midnight, Tuesday evening, Sept. 19th. Mr. Lavers was born at Plymouth, Devonshire, England, on the 10th day of November, 1868, and therefore at the time of his death was in his 59th year. He came from England direct to Alberta in the year 1906, and located at Calgary where he remained until the year 1908, when he took up land in this district on which he has lived ever since, with the exception of the period when he was on active service with the Canadian Expeditionary Force in France. Mr. Lavers then returned to the east and old timers of this district, as there were no actual settlers in this district before 1909. When the Great War broke out he joined the 10th Battalion C.E.F. and went overseas with that Battalion and was discharged in 1918, when he returned to the district. He was an energetic member of the local G.W.V.A. Mr. Lavers had a cold and a slight attack of indigestion the previous week, but had been back at work and was apparently well. He was married, and leaves a wife, Mrs. Lavers, and one daughter, who mourns his loss, to whom the deepest sympathy of the community is extended in their great bereavement.

The sons are Frederick George, Lionel Roy, and James Richard; and the daughter, Gwendolyn Marion Quenneville, wife of Louis A. Gold of this district.

The funeral services were held at the Union Church on Sunday afternoon, and were conducted by the Rev. H. E. Scallan, M.A. of Harewood, one of the prayers in the service being made by Rev. Fred. Brownlee, who was in charge of the people of the district to pay their last respects to one who was well and favorably known in the district.

The coffin was draped in a Union Jack, the pallbearers being Sidney Brook, G. W. Gold, A. W. White, J. W. Armstrong, F. F. Patterson and Frank Applegate, all members of the local G.W.V.A. Interment was made in the Craigmyle cemetery. There were many beautiful floral tributes.

Miss Florence Perry, of the Flarecrite Beauty Shop, Hanna, will be in charge of the floral arrangements on Saturday, 24th inst., for the purpose of marzelling, hair cutting, and general beauty culture work. Mrs. P. A. Cavignish's car, which was in the shop for repairs, will be ready for use on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. White went to Calgary on Monday afternoon's train from Morin, being driven there by E. A. Cavignish's car. Mrs. White's throat has been bothering her for several weeks, and she has been unable to attend to her duties. As a precautionary measure the local school was closed on Thursday last of last week owing to several cases of infantile paralysis being reported in a comparatively short radius.

Now that the power line is complete to Delia and light available throughout the district, it is hoped that the service will soon be available here.

The whole make-up of the human body, as sometimes people say, said that we are intended for cold, and the thousands of nerves, and the thousands of muscles, in the body!

Work, work, work! Produce, produce! That was the cry of Thomas Carlyle, and Carlyle

Canadian Hunting Prospects Excellent



Canadian moose and deer hunting season are at hand and from reports reaching the tourist department of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company there is every indication that one of the best hunting seasons ever will be experienced.

Miss Baines wrote down word from her camp at Metegama, Ontario, that if the hunters don't get their share and hence this season they have nothing to blame but their poor shooting. He says that the game has been very good, but he has a great year in every way. From Selkirk, Ontario, reports are also coming in. Handled as the game has been, it has been very good, and the reports are also coming in. Handled as the game has been, it has been very good, and the reports are also coming in.

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Blessed Be Drugery

It is hard to believe. So many of these whose work is more form of druggery complaint about it, instead of being thankful about it, that the notion that druggery is something to be excused from, possible here because widely diffused.

Men commonly never to become rich not because they may use their riches as a means of serving their fellows, but because by means of their riches they may be relieved of the necessity of work.

Even the Scriptures themselves were to treat work as an evil. In the so-called Mosaic account of creation, it is the penalty that the Lord imposes upon the man and woman in the garden for their disobedience.

In spite of all this—in spite of the teaching of the scriptures of Genesis that the ideal state is one of idleness, in which bread may be earned otherwise than in the sweat of one's brow, it is because so many of these who are so much in the habit of work, and so, as far as can be determined, material damage has been done.

Throughout the remainder of the province reports indicate that from 50 to 90 per cent. of what is in the stock. Some of the grain has been cut on the green side, but on the whole the indications at present are that the general quality will be good.

There is considerable lodging of oats and barley in certain districts. This will be a heavy yield of all difficult to handle, but is not likely to cause any great amount of loss.

Thrashing has just commenced in a few of the more fertile districts, but will not be general for another two or three weeks.

All indications go to show that there will be a heavy yield of all the different grains throughout the whole province.

Lulus, who were reported short of a few of the more fertile districts, it would appear that there is a sufficient supply.

L. Caribou and hunter from the district of North British Columbia. L. Caribou in a den. L. Caribou's nose. A bear shot in a den in the Rockies.

According to reports which have been sent in from all parts of the world there are no finer big game fields anywhere than those embraced by the Kluane Lake and White River and the McMillan River districts of the Yukon territory. In addition to the favorable indications offered, the hunter these districts have an impelling attraction for the tourist, plant or animal, who delight in exploring the wonders and beauties of Nature in wild and primitive country.

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Russia Bays Third Horse Shipment in West

A third shipment of horses to Russia this season is now being arranged for. These will be sent to the Russian government by the Canadian Pacific Railway to Vancouver, thence by Canadian Pacific "Princess" steamer for an extraordinary trip of one thousand miles to Skagway, Alaska, where chance hunters may find some magnificent trophies of all these big game inhabitants, according to locality, Caribou, Moose, mountain goat, Oso, Caribou, moose, and these varieties of bear—grizzly, brown and black. Some magnificent trophies of all these species have been obtained in the past.

The first of the three shipments was sent from Quebec only last month, totalling 1,048 horses. The second, which will consist of 1,200 animals, will leave Quebec in about a week on the Russian government steamer Dezhnev.

These were all purchased in Alberta and were destined to leave Dunsmuir this week.

Mr. Kon, in an interview expressed satisfaction with the co-operation of the Government in the delivery of horses to the Russian government. Mr. Kon stated that further purchases will likely be made next year.

Fall Stock Show and Sale Opens Nov. 1

The fall stock show and sale, under the auspices of the Alberta Stock and Horse Show Association, will be held at Calgary November 1 to 4. The event includes prizes for cattle, sheep and swine, and auction sales for some classes of animals. Cattle offered at the association have been purchased from the tuberculosis fund, and all sums raised for sale will be given to the fund.

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